rease of Receipts and Increase of Expenditures the Cause-Available Cash Balance in the Treasury Decreased About \$14,000,000 in October.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31 .- The expenses of te Government were over \$5,000,000 more hat the receipts in the month of October, here is now a surplus of only about more in the Treasury for the first four orns of the fiscal year. A deficit is kely to occur within the next week, although it is not the belief of the Treasury ficials that the expenditures will continue ery long to exceed the receipts. There has been no deficit in the Treasury in any October for several years.

The expenditures always exceed the receipts durit g the first few weeks of the fiscal year, owing to the fact that large apprepriations of Congress always become available at the beginning of a 1 ew fiscal period; but for several years the temporary deficit has always been wiped out in the course of a month or two. The experience of the Treasury was the same as usual early in this fiscal year, at d the surplus reached about \$,000,000 in September. The October receipts decreased, however, while the experditures in creased, with the result that at the close of business to-day the surplus for the current fiscal year stood at only

103.555.

The October receipts of the Treasury from all sources amounted to \$46,964,213. while the expenditures were \$51,968,000. The receipts were less by nearly \$4,500,000 than these of October of last year, and the expenditures were over \$5,000,000 more. At the end of October of last year there was a Treasury surplus of about \$13,500,000. receipts of the Government for the ended to-day were as follows: Cusmonin ended to-day were as follows: Customs, \$22,856,962; internal revenue, \$20,813,851; miscellaneous, \$3,289,399. In October of last year the customs receipts were \$26,741,700 and the internal revenue receipts do 476,912. The slump in the receipts during the last four months has been almost entirely due to the smaller importations of dutible goods from horse dutible goods. tions of dutiable goods from abroad.

The customs receipts for the four months since June 30 have been \$94,763,278, as arainst \$103,940,452 in the same months of last year. On the other hand the internal enue receipts increased from \$7 .410.114

to \$81,261,310.

The available cash balance in the Treasury decreased in October by about \$14,000,000. The balance at the close of business to-dry was \$226,935,701. Of this amount about \$172,000,000 is in national band depositaries to the credit of the Government, so the so-called working balance in the Treasury is only about \$55,000,000. Successive Secretaries of the Treasury have made an unwritten law that this "working balance" should not be allowed to fall below about \$50,000,000.

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There were several items of unusual enditures in October. Something like Louis Exposition, and there were other bects of expenditure which did not usually

BOY BURGLAR CAUGHT.

Led Had Broken Into Coal Office and Had Figures of Safe Combination.

Patroiman Michael Molen of the Fourth avenue station, Brooklyn, captured a youthul burglar in the office of the Wardell. Coal Company, foot of Twenty-fifth street early yesterday morning. The boy gave his name as Michael Plica, 14 years old, of 700 Fourth avenue. olen saw a light in the office of the

coal company and made an investigation He found a section of one window removed and crawled through. The boy was in a plaset in the office. He had his nerve with

"Well, what do you want here?" asked the boy. "I am the night watchman and want to know what you mean by coming in here. Get out!" The officer was inclined to waver until

he asked the boy to light the gas and the lad did not know where the meter could be found. A search of the boy's pockets disclosed twenty-five keys and a paper on which were the figures of the combination of the combinatio and was subsequently a raigned before Jus-tice Wilkin in the Children's Court. He was held for examination.

PINNED THE ROBBER DOWN. Grasping Thief Went Too Far in His Demand for Money.

RALEIGH, N. C., Oct. 31 .- A robber drove up in a buggy to the post office and country store at Zephyr, and entering with a double-barrelled shet gun in his hand, demanded all the cash in the house. Postmaster Snew declined to comply with the demand. The stranger fired at him at close range, burning his hair, but otherwise doing him no

Show then brought out the cash, which eved to be too small in amount for the beer, who persuaded Snow to get in his buggy and go to the house of a neighbor to procure a loan. The neighbor ob-leted, whereupon the stranger raised his gun. At that moment Snow sorang upon and bore him to the ground. The two then disarmed the robber, tied him harone, placed him in his own buggy

FREE LECTURES

To Be Given at Museum of Natural History This Week-Experiments With Radium.

Two free lectures will be given at the American Museum of Natural History, Central Park West and Seventy-seventh street, this week, and on one afternoon experts will give a demonstration of radium nd show experiments with that interesting

emorrow evening Charles Lone Poor lecture on "The Measurement of Recing Ats." On Thesday afternoon from 2 is the public will have an opportunity see simple experiments with radium, fon the same afternoon at 3 George H. or will give a popular lecture on the lo ladi as and will show more than a hundred I ntern slides.
The number will be open as usual from

Negroes Insist on Higher Education. NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 31 .- The negroes in Dallas. Tex., have protested against the proposition to drop some of the higher branches in the schools in crder to introduce menual training, as was done two years ago in New Orleans. The charge was oldered on the ground that it would benefit the regre in fitting him for work. The regress objected to being shut out of higher education and the idea of making a chroge has been also represented. a change his been abandoned.

Charges Fraud in International Bank Case. Monreagy, Mexico, Oct. 31.-Juan Adler. former manager of the local branch of the International Bank and Trust Company, is looked up in the penitentiary on a charge of fraud made by José Parras. Mr. Parras charges him with having paid out money to depositors of the bank after he had received notification from Mexico City of the main bank's suspension and orders to close this branch.

Mine Weeks Drought in Mississippi. NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 31. - No rain has fallen in many parts of Mississippi for nine weeks and the State is beginning to feel the evil effects of the drought in many ways. Besides the injury to crops the heaviest losses have been from fire. There have been a number of large forest fires. Fourteen cotton gins have been destroyed, and carcely a day passes without one at least being humand

MELLEN MADE PRESIDENT. Suggested Renaming of the New Haven

Road "Southern New England." Charle S. Mellen was elected president of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad at a meeting of that company's directors held at the Grand Central Station in this city ye terday, to succeed John M. Hail, resigned. Nearly all the company's directors were present, including Chauncey M. Depew, who spoke at the meeting regarding Mr. Mellen's fine capabilities and character. The new president will take office at once. The retiring president remains in the company's service as general

councel. The board also elected William D. Bi: hop vice-president of the board, and William

vice-precident of the board, and William D. Bi hep, Jr., recretary of the company. Augustus S. May was reelected treasurer, and President Mellen reappointed John G. Parker pre ident's secretary.

It was said ye terday that one of the inducement, that was offered to Mr. Mellan to leave the Northern Pacific was that the management of the New Haven would be left to him with the same free hand that he has had in the case of the Northern Pacific during his presidency of the Northern Pacific during his presidency of the Northern Pacific has extended overeight yea a. Mr. Mellen's history is that of a practical sailroad executive, and he has been noted both as a financial manager and as a great getter of traffic. Prior to his coming to the Northern Pacific he was connected with the Boston and Lowell, and later with the New York and New England Railroad, both of which properties he was in trumental in building up. He had been for five years second vice-president of the New York, New Haven and Hartfori Railroad when he went to and Hartfer! Railroad when he went to

the Northern Pacific.

As president of the New Haven company, As president of the New Haven company, among the questions he will have to consider will be the adjustment of satisfactory relations with the Pennsylvania Railroad, which has its natural New England outlet over the New Haven system; the harmonization of the electric traction interests in the New England territory (many of the traction companies there being controlled by the New York, New Haven and Hartfors), and a change in the name of the company of which he now becomes president, to "Southern New England Railroad," a name that has been suggested a sess unwiendy that has been suggested as less unwieldy and more comprehensive than the one now held.

COFFEE IMPORTERS FAIL.

Petition in Bankruptey Here Against S. Matherson, Jr., & Co.

A petition in bankruptcy has been filed here against S. Matherson, Jr., & Co., coffee importers, at 110 Front street, composed of Stephen Matherson, Jr., and Edwin Sheafe, and also against Mr. Sheafe, individually, by Bowers & Sands, attorneys for the Corn Exchange Bank, which is a creditor for \$10,000 for money advanced on two notes of the firm indorsed by Mr. Sheafe. It is alleged that both the firm and Mr. Sheafe are insolvent, that on Aug. 1 Mr. Sheafe made an assignment to George E. Crocker and that on July 2, he transferred stock in the Washington Building Trust to the following concerns: Kidder, Peabody & Co., Boston, \$75,000, par value; J. B. Moore & Co., \$30,000, and the Massachusetts National Bank, \$35,000, and that the firm made an assignment on Oct. 28 to Charles B. Barnes, Jr. The assignments do not appear on the records at the New York County Clerk's office. The headquarters of the firm is at Boston where Mr. Sheafe, the capit-list resides. The firm made a specialty of Mexican coffees and had a branch at Orizaba, Mexico. of the firm indorsed by Mr. Sheafe. It is

MODEL WILL HOLD 1,000 MEN. Greatest of Its Kind on Earth.

A big model of the \$14,000,000 station which the Baltimore and Ohio and Pennsylvania railroads are to build jointly in Washington is to be exhibited at the St. Louis Exposition! The model, which will be 80 reet long, 40 feet deep and 15 feet high, is upon a scale of proportions a: deflective-ness never before attempt in an archi-tectural model. It will hold 1,000 persons. The Washington station will be the greatest of its kind in the world, and for

Sknow what you mean by coming in Get out!"

The washington in the world, and for greatest of its kind in the world, and for the facilities for moving trains only the facilities for moving trains only the facilities for moving trains only the terminals of Paris, Hamburg, Dresden and Frankfort will compare with it. It will be used to pure marble on classic lines. Much of the interior, with a floor space of 100.000 square feet, will be used for a waiting the subsequently a raigned before Justikin in the Children's Court. He is deformed to the main dining room will be 65 by 100 feet and the ticket lobby, 110 feet long by 50 feet wide.

EUROPE EXPECTED THE SLUMP. Says James Speyer, but Is Now Investing

Moderately in Americans. James Speyer, the head of the banking house of Speyer & Co., was at his office yesterday after an absence of nearly four months in England and on the Continent. Mr. Speyer said that the present depression in American securities was not unexpected in European banking quarters, where it is in European banking quarters, where it is considered the natural sequence of the overspeculation of the last few years.

At present, however, Mr. Spever says foreign financial interests are inclined to take a more hopeful view of the situation, and moderate American investments are hains mode.

Mr. Morgan and Party in Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, Oct. 31 .- J. Pierpont Morgan and party spent the day in this city and left at 4 o'clock in the afternoon for the reserves to deposits of several of the more promi-East. The party was entertained at the home of R. W. Hickox, where corn beef hash a la Mark Hanna was served, with hash a la Mark Rama was served, with waffies later. They were joined by the Senator this afternoon. It was Mr. Mor-gen's annual visit. He is just now com-pleting a trip over all the lines of the Penn-sylvania Railroad and the Pennsylvania

Gould-Penna. Settlement Story Again. A story was published and circulated in Wall Street yesterday to the effect that the differences between the Gould and Pennsylvania interests had been settled by an arrangement to divide the Pittsburg tonnage between the Pennsylvania and Wabash. This story was first printed two months ago in Boston and was at that time and has since been denied here on high authority. authority.

Broker Norton Takes Two Years Off. Edward L. Norton of the Stock Exchange house of Street & Norton has retired from business for two years owing to ill health. He has been prominent in some of the most spectacular operations of the Street, including the Northern Pacific deal. Mr. Norton has transacted a great deal of business for James R. Keene.

Banking Fires in Ohio Carnegie Steel Plants YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio, Oct. 31 .- Orders have been received to bank all the furnaces of the Carnegie Steel Company in the Youngstown district. One at Niles is al-

ready out of blast and one of the three here is being lined. The two others were banked to-day. Lack of orders is given as Delaware and Hudson Collieries on Full

Time. WILEES-BARRE, Pa., Oct. 31,-All the Delaware and Hudson Coal Company collieries resumed full time work to-day after being on two-thirds time for several weeks. The order affects 12,000 mine workers. It is expected that this renewed activity will continue through the winter.

Linseed Oil Cheaper.

The American Linseed Company has reduced the price of linseed oil 2 cents a gailon on city grades and 1 cent a gallon on Western grades, making the prices 27 cents and 86 cents per gailon, respectively.

FIRED WITHOUT PROVOCATION. "Act Right or I'll Give You This," Said

Smyth as He Pulled the Trigger. Robert Smyth, a saloonkeeper at the corner of Central avenue and Plane street. Newark, shot William O'Hearn in the head yesterday morning without aggravation or apparent motive. O'Hearn, who is 33 years old, is the driver of a van for a storage company and lives at 28 Eleventh street. He stopped at the saloon with his helper at 9 o'clock yesterday morning. They were about to leave when Smyth called them back to have a drink with him

"Come back," he said, "and act right or I'll give you this," and he pointed a revolver at O'Hearn's face. The pistol was discharged and the bullet entered O'Hearn's cheek, lodging somewhere near the base of the brain. O'Hearn backed into a chair

Smyth, who, it is said, had been dvinking heavily for several days, paid to further attention to him. There were three witnesses of the shooting and they sent for the police and for an ambulance.

Smyth fought hard when he was arrested, and while he was struggling O'Hearn left his seat and came forward saying:

"Funny, isn't it, and it was only an accident."

Probing at the City Hospital failed to locate the ball and it was difficult to say what the result of the wound would be, but it was said that it was not necessarily mortal Smyth could not talk clearly, but managed to say that the pistol went off by accident. He is locked up.

TO STOP CHARIVARIS.

A Petition Circulated in Easthampton With That Object.

EASTHAMPTON, L. I., Oct. 31 .- Believing that fear of being roughly serenaded upon their marriage has been the c use of many girls here and in other places drifting into spinsterhood, a strenuous attempt is being made to put a stop to the practice by many in endeavoring to stamp it out. They be-I'eve that it will do away with a nuisance and at the same time result in an increase of the tumber of marriages.

By means of a circular they are trying to find how each resident stands on the subject All Easthamptoners are being asked to sign this retition:

sign this retition:

We, the undersigned residents of Easthampton, N. Y., interested in the welfare
and good name of the village and town
aforesaid, believing that lew and order are
the basis of all good citizenship, do hereby
agree to give the sum set opposite our respective names for the purpose of arresting
and prosecuting to the full extent of the law
any and all persons found engaged in unlawful assemblage in and about the streets
of said town and causing unseemly disturbance, noise and annoyance to the lawabiding and peaceful residents of our community.

This petition aims at the serenaders Officers of the law have interested them selves in the matter, and the ministers of the town are in favor of it.

MISSION FOR DEAF MUTES. 600 to Attend Services to Be Held in the

Church of St. Francis Xavier. A unique mission will begin in the Roman Catholic Church of St. Francis Xavier on West Sixteenth street next week, when 600 deaf mutes will be brought together in spiritual meetings. All the services will be conducted by priests who are proficient in the language of the deaf mutes, and long sermons will be delivered without the utter-

ance of a single word. ance of a single word.

The Jesuit fathers were the first in America to establish societies and services for those afflicted by the less of hearing. Deaf mutes from all parts of the State have signified their intention of attending the Jesuit

BANK STATEMENT. Surpius Reserves Decrease \$7,670,800.

The bank statement was a bad one from every point of view. Not only was a loss in cash shown of \$8,694,800, but the loan account expanded \$4,400,500, and the loss in surplus reserves was not far from being equal to the decrease in cash. Perhaps the only favorable comment that could be made was that able comment that could be made was that it was not so bad as was expected. Although there had been no anticipation of an increase in the loan account, previous estimates had pointed to a cash loss by the banks of over \$13,000,000, and the exhibit made of a loss of only two-thirds of this amount was a pleasing disappointment to the financial community. The weekly state ment of averages of the associated banks of the city of New York compares as follows with those of last week and of the corresponding week one year ago.

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Loans Deposits	885,618,600	8907,099,000 899,714,600	Last year. \$875,509,700 893,791,200
Circulation		45,882,600	42.093,900
Specie Legal tenders	66,994,500	\$171,703,600 68,606,500	\$174,524,000 70,262,900
Total reserve Reserve req'd.	\$231,878,300 321,404,150	\$240,373,100 222,428,650	\$244.786.900 228.447.800
Surplus	10.274.150	17,944,450	21.839.100
to deposits. The changes of	26.1	37.0 are as follow:	
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Surplus after		De	r. 7,670,300
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States deposits... Dec. 7,681,200
The amount of United States deposits shown in this week's statement is \$37,156,600, a decrease of \$43,000 from inst week. If these deposits were deducted from the aggregate given, the surplus would be \$19,563,350.

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-	Bank of New York
į	Bank of the Manhattan Company
į	Merchants National.
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İ	Bank of America
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1	American Exchange National 24.4 Netional Bank of Commerce 26.3
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١	National Bank of North America26.0
١	Hanover National
١	Corn Pychange
١	Importers' and Traders' National27.0
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1	Important changes from last week in the

held by individual banks and their loans follows:

Bank of New York Dec. \$181,000 Dec. \$181,000 Dec. \$181,000 Inc. \$0.00 Dec. \$181,000 Dec. \$1

Live Stock Market.

No receipts nor sales of beeves reported. Dressed beef steady: city dressed native sides, extreme range, 64,20, per lb. Cables last received quoted American steers at 104,428,1156., dressed weight; American steers at 104,428,1156., dressed weight; refrigerator beef at 83,426c. per lb. Reported exports for to day, 1,350 beeves, 600 sheep, 2,400 quarters of beef.

Receipts of calves, all for the market rates law, about steady for ve.,8; dull and lower for slow, about steady for ve.,8; dull and lower for western calves at 35. City dressed veals, actor of Western calves at 35. City dressed veals, 82,13c. per lb.

Receipts of sheep and lambs, including a single rar direct to slaurhier, were 2,538 head; 1414 cars on sale, all told. Sheep nieled slow and weak; lambs also slow at a decline of 142,14c. per lb., generally, also slow at a decline of 142,14c. per lb., generally, also slow at a decline of 142,14c. per lb., generally, a car of Canadas at 35,25. Dressed mutton, 52, 7c. per lb.; dressed lambs, 74,4,16c.

Receipts of hogs were 2,067 head. Very few on sale alive, and no sales reported.

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LONG ACRE SOTAR 2 district. Six st., near 5th, av., 4 stories, 2) foot levillar; prior, \$11.3)? said terms. ALFRED MUNSON, 21 Colling places. Flushing.

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The English and Italian navies have adopted the system. The United States Government has awarded contracts to the Company for installing the system in Alaska, and the Cuban Government has given the Company the privilege of installing the system in that Republic, which will communicate with stations on the American coast. The Marconi Company is in operation at South Wellfleet, Cape Cod, Mass. (Trans-Atlantic); Herald Station; Nantucket Lightship Station; Siasconset, on Nantucket Island, Mass.; Sagaponack, L. I.; Babylon, L. I., and at Glace Bay, Nova Scotia.

The Marconi Company has bought and owns all the patents, present and prospective, of Marconi. They have also acquired the wireless inventions of Prof. J. A. Fleming, of England; Prof. Michael Idvorsky Pupin, of Columbia College, and of Thomas A. Edison, and the natural policy of the Company would be to purchase any wireless inventions, by whomsoever patented, provided the purchase is recommended by Marconi, Pupin and Edison, who are the Consulting Engineers of the Marconi Wireless Telegraph Company of America.

From a scientific standpoint the progress of the Marconi System will be of supreme importance. Mr. Marconi has corresponded with Robert E. Peary, the Arctic explorer, relative to the equipment of his expedition with wireless apparatus. If his should be done, and Peary reaches the North Pole, he may announce the fact to the civilized world at his point of departure. He may ask for supplies and assistance, and direct where they may be sent to him. Every explorer has turned back because he could not communicate with his base of supplies, and death lay beyond. The Peary expedition will be relieved of this danger

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New York, October 5, 1903.

The Board of Directors of the Keokuk and Des Moines Railway Company have declared a dividend of Two Per Cent. (2%) on the preferred capital stock of that Company, payable November 16, 1903. to stockholders of record November 6, 1903. The transfer books will close at 3 o'clock P. M., Friday, November 6, 1903, and coen again at 10 o'clock A. M. on Monday, November 16.

6EO. T. BOGGS, Treasurer.

The National Starch Manufacturing Co. Coupons due November 1, 1903, on bonds of The National Starch Manufacturing Company will be paid November 2, 1903, upon presentation to J. I. Weed, Room 1906, No. 25 Broad St., New York. R. H. STRAHAN, Treasurer.

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THE RICHES RECONCILED. Justice Barrett, It Is Said, Has Made the Temporary Truce Permanent. The efforts of Supreme Court Justice Barrett to bring together William L. Rich and his wife, Nancy Rich, have apparently been successful, as an order has been entered discontinuing the alimony of \$35 a week which had been allowed to Mrs. Rich

pending the determination of her suit

for a separation and her hugband's suit for a divorce. Mr. Rich is the general manager of a Fifth avenue jewelry firm. When his wife sued for a separation, he replied by a divorce suit in which he named the suiter vorce suit in which he named the suitor of Mrs. Rich's daughter by a former husband as corespondent. Both suits were tried and each plaintiff was unsuccessful. Since then the couple have lived in separate rooms of the same hotel. Finally their lawyers asked Justice Barrett to make an order determining where the two young children were to be educated.

Justice Barrett asked both Mr. and Mrs. Rich to see him at his home, and he brought about what was then considered a temporary cessation of hostilities. The subsequent order vacating the alimony and another discontinuing Mr. Rich's suit against a storage warehouse to obtain

another discontinuing Mr. Rich's suit against a storage warehouse to obtain some furniture his wife had stored there, show that the patched up truce has been made more or less permanent. Mission for Women of the Slums. Fathers A. P. Doyle, Denis Devine, Thomas Daly and Henry O'Keeff of the Paulist Order will open a four weeks mission in St. James's Church, in James street,

sion in St. James's Church, in James street, to-night. This mission is intended to rach especially the women and girls of the slums and sweat shops in that section, in which Father Doyle believes there are at least 15,000 Catholics. The fathers will held services in the church every night and during the day they will make house to house visitations. Southern Pacific to Plant a German Colony. NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 31 .- The Southern Pacific Railroad has purchased the Justine and Bramer plantations, two large sugar

Archibishop Farley to Preach To-day. Archbishop Farley will deliver the sermon t the solemn high mass at St. Patrick's Cathedral this morning. Tais will be his investiture with the railium of an Archbishop.

and Bramer plantations, two large sugar plantations in St. Mary's parish, the Sugar Bowl of Louisiana, and will cut them up into fifty and one hundred acre farms for a colony of Germans who will move from Michigan to Louisiana this winter. "Determining the character and financial re-sponsibility of your Broker is as important as selection of right stocks."

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